

### COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

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Denial of Verified Claim(s) Against the City of Lodi

**MEETING DATE:** 

February 5, 1997

SUBMITTED BY:

Human Resources Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

To approve by motion action, denial of the following verified claim(s)

filed against the City of Lodi:

A) Abrams, Karen

Date of Loss: 12/01/96

B) Manley, Jr., Bill

Date of Loss: 11/15/96

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** 

Following review of the verified claims filed against the City

of Lodi, the Risk Manager and/or the City's Contract

Administrator, Insurance Consulting Associates, Inc. (ICA), recommend that the City deny the subject claims.

FUNDING: None required.

Respectfully submitted,

Joanne M. Narloch, Human Resources Director

cc: City Attorney

APPROVED:

H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

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Notice of Claim Rejection

February 5, 1997

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Karen Abrams 1290 Grey Fox Pl. Stockton, CA 95215

RE:

Claim against the City of Lodi

Date of Loss:

12/1/96

Claim Number: 96-100

Dear Ms. Abrams:

Notice is hereby given that the claim you presented to the City of Lodi on December 13, 1996, is rejected as of the date of this letter.

### Warning

Subject to certain exemptions, you have only six (6) months from the date that this notice was personally delivered or deposited in the mail to file a court action on your state law claims. See Government Code Section 945.6. The six month time limit referred to in this notice applies only to claims or causes of action which are governed by the California Tort Claims Act which does not apply to federal causes of action. Additionally, the Tort Claims Act contains certain exemptions. You may seek the advice of an attorney of your choice in connection with this matter. If you desire to consult with an attorney, you should do so immediately.

Please also be advised that, pursuant to Sections 128.5 and 1038 of the California Code of Civil Procedure, the City will seek to recover all costs of defense in the event an action is filed in this matter and it is determined that the action was not brought in good faith and with reasonable cause.

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Sincerely,

cc:

Bill Benson

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Bill Manley, Jr. 415 W. Pine St. Lodi, CA 95240

RE:

Claim against the City of Lodi

Date of Loss: 12/1/96 Claim Number: 96-100

Dear Mr. Manley:

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